

A PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT

The North Sea Incident Goes to the Hague

WILL FIX THE PUNISHMENT

Britain's Threat That Baltic Fleet Could Not Pass Tangier Brings About Speedy Agreement and Ends Crisis.

London, Oct. 29.—An agreement has been reached between the British and Russian Governments to submit the question of the individual responsibility in the North Sea incident, first to a court of inquiry, and finally to the Hague tribunal. With this understanding the acute phase of the crisis brought about by the firing of the Baltic squadron on the British fishermen has passed. Assuming that this arbitration plan would be adopted, Russia already had ordered the Russian ships directly involved in the affair detained at Vigo, Spain, for the purpose of having the necessary testimony at hand. Despatches today continued to harp on the preparations for war which they alleged Great Britain was making, and repeated the suggestion that the British would bar the progress of the Russian fleet. It is difficult to see how England could have justified any such action as this, in view of the instant expression of sorrow on the part of the Russian Government for the act of its naval commander, and its subsequent offer to submit the case to impartial adjustment. As stated yesterday, any overt act by the British war forces would be an open confession that England had seized this lamentable incident to weaken the military power of Russia in the interest of her ally Japan.

DIDN'T LIKE WHISKERS.

"Gard" Wright Has Brand New Monument Cut to Suit Him.

Putnam, Ct., Oct. 28.—Phineas Gardner Wright, the \$100,000 Putnam man, who has gained much notoriety by having cut on his \$2,000 monument, "Going, but Know Not Where," just under his life-size bust, which stands out in bold relief, is having another stone cut to replace it.

The whiskers never suited him, as they were parted, as he said, "just a little too far up the center." He said today:

"I did not use all my mother's money for neckties, collars and cuffs in my younger days, and have ordered another stone cut, and the whiskers will be the way I want 'em this time, too. If this one doesn't suit me, I will have another, and still have some of the necktie money left."

"Gard," as Mr. Wright is familiarly known, has just rectified a \$400 monument over the grave of his old sweetheart, Sarah Sage, who is buried in a cemetery in Woodstock.

\$4,500 VERDICTS.

Total Jury Awards in Four Cases of Powder Explosion.

Lowell, Oct. 28.—Verdicts in four cases, aggregating \$4,500, were rendered against the American Powder Mills Company in the Superior court this morning in connection with the magazine explosion of July 29, 1903.

The suits were brought in consequence of the deaths of two boys of William H. Ouligan, Charles H. Moore, a teamster, and Mrs. William E. Riggs, a near-by resident, all of whom were killed, against Paul Butler, and Mrs. Blanche Butler Ames, the United States Cartridge Company and the American Powder Mills Company. The latter was elected as the responsible defendant under a ruling of the court before the cases went to the jury. The cases, it is said, will be taken to the supreme court on exceptions.

TO ABOLISH ESSEX JUNCTION.

Hearing by Railroad Commission to be Held November 2.

Burlington, Oct. 28.—A state railroad commission hearing is announced at Essex Junction Wednesday forenoon, November 2, at 9 o'clock, on the matter of the petition to the board recommending that the Central Vermont Railway Co. build a line through Colchester to Burlington. The petition is signed by 76 persons from all parts of the state. The board believes it has no jurisdiction to act, and believes at least one name appears on the printed petition which is not authorized.

KILLED BY BROTHER.

H. Stanley Wilson Taken for a Deer in Maine Woods.

Bangor, Me., Oct. 28.—H. Stanley Wilson, son of Charles W. Wilson, a prominent farmer, was shot and instantly killed at Pushaw lake today by his brother, Herbert Wilson, who mistook him for a deer. With a third brother, Charles Wilson, they were on a hunting trip at the lake. The victim of the accident was 17 years old.

Dishonest or Inefficient.

Washington, Oct. 28.—By direction of the president, Secretary Loeb today sent to James N. Tyner, the former assistant attorney-general for the postmaster-general, a letter in reply to Mr. Tyner's letter dated Oct. 8, and made public last night. The letter says that as the question of Mr. Tyner's guilt on the criminal charge on which he was tried has been passed upon by a jury the president acquiesces in the jury's finding, but the evidence "seems to him overwhelming that you (Mr. Tyner) were guilty either of moral obliquity in performance of duty or of the grossest inefficiency."

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WALCOTT SOBS.

His Tears Flow When He Sees Widow of Hall.

Boston, Oct. 28.—Joe Walcott, the famous colored prize fighter who is being held by the police in connection with the death of Nelson Hall, a colored man whom he claims was shot accidentally in a South end dance hall, was brought to police headquarters by Sgt. Goff of station 3 this morning to be interviewed by Capt. Dugan. Walcott's arm was done up in splints. Former Senator Charles Ames, counsel for Walcott, was present.

Soon after Walcott arrived at police headquarters, attention was called by a gentle rap at the door of the office.

"Come in," said Capt. Dugan, and a demure colored woman in mourning walked slowly into the room. It was the widow of Nelson Hall. When she saw Walcott surrounded by policemen, with his arm in splints and bandages, she burst into tears. The sight of Walcott recalled her dead husband and the dramatic incidents attending his death.

Walcott began to weep, too, and he sobbed like a child.

But few words were spoken, and they were kindly. The widow demonstrated only signs of sympathy and friendliness for Walcott.

Walcott was soon led away to the dock in the municipal court to await the calling of his case. The court house corridors were crowded with prize fighters, prize fight promoters and fight followers.

When Walcott's case was called in the municipal court, the charge was changed to manslaughter and he was held in \$2,500 for the grand jury.

DOUBT ABOUT HEARST.

His Mines Are Placarded With "Vote for Roosevelt."

Deadwood, S. D., Oct. 28.—William R. Hearst, Democratic candidate for the nomination for President before the St. Louis convention, is apparently supporting Roosevelt for the presidency. The Homestake mines are placarded from surface to the lowest depths of the mines with sign: "Vote for Roosevelt for President. Don't forget that in voting for Roosevelt you vote for a continuance of prosperity."

The Homestake mines are the property of the Hearsts, and are controlled by William R. Hearst and his mother.

When William R. Hearst was a candidate for the nomination he directed the Homestake managers to vote for him in the convention of the Black Hills counties, and every county sent delegates favorable to him to the state convention.

These in turn declared for Hearst, and sent a delegation instructed for him, with former Senator Pettigrew heading the delegation. Senator Pettigrew was recently inspired to say, in an interview, that Parker should be defeated.

BALESTIER PROPERTY BURNED.

House and Barn Owned by Kipling's Brother-in-Law Burned.

Battleboro, Oct. 28.—Bentley S. Balestier, Rudyard Kipling's brother-in-law, sustained the loss of his house and the value of the property was about \$3,000 with insurance of \$2,400.

The fire is supposed to have started from a stove in the horsebarn. A steamer from Battleboro started for the scene, but was unable to reach there in time to be of service. The stock and household effects were saved. Mr. Balestier is in New York.

The Balestier farm is situated in Dummerston, about four miles from Battleboro.

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GRAHAM'S DEPOSITION

Hearing in the Voucher Case at Montpelier

AUDITOR GIVES HIS SIDE

In Clement-Graham Voucher Case—What Mr. Graham Said Before the Attorneys.

Montpelier, Oct. 28.—Over three hours was spent tonight in taking the state auditor's decision in the vouchers case of Clement against Graham. The deposition was taken in the secretary of state's office. The petitioner was represented by Cowles Moulton of Burlington and the petitioner by W. W. Miles of Boston. The peg on which the entire case seems to hang is the distinction made by the auditor between the "records," which constitute the books prepared by him, all of which are open to the public, and the vouchers, including itemized bills, only the total of which appear in the records, and which Graham does not consider public property.

Vouchers Will Not Locate Dishonesty.

The auditor stated tonight that in effect the vouchers were simply useful in proving that he had paid out no more money than justified by law in accordance with expense and other items submitted to him by the state officers and institutions. He asserted the vouchers would be of no use in ascertaining if there was graft or dishonesty in the conduct of state institutions. The auditor explained in detail the accounts kept by his office with the state officers and institutions, including per diem and various expense accounts. If an officer employed by the state paid a bill the item would not necessarily appear on the records, but would appear among the vouchers. In the case of the Brattleboro retreat the vouchers show no more than the public records. The vouchers of the other state institutions, however, do show more than this record which contains the total amounts.

Taxpayers Can Examine Records.

The auditor said dishonesty in the state institutions could not be disclosed by an examination of the record books or vouchers. It could only be discovered at the various institutions. He said in case the auditor's action is questioned, the vouchers furnish evidence that he has complied with the statute. He had never refused a tax payer the privilege of examining his "records." Mr. Clement had applied for that privilege, and his private secretary, Barney, had spent three days at the office some months ago in examining the "records."

The auditor asserted that he had shown all the records asked for, and given all the information called for. He told of expense to him personally, but said the examination occasioned, but said when Barney asked about the expense, he had told him there was no expense to him (Barney). Nothing was said at that time about an examination of the vouchers, asserted the auditor. Mr. Clement first asked to examine the files at the auditor's office in August, but the auditor stated that he supposed until September 2 that only the records was meant. He had never refused the privilege of examining the records.

Has Received 145,000 Vouchers.

He estimated the vouchers received since he took office number about 145,000. These vouchers at that time were specially arranged for inspection by the claims committee and inspector of finance. In the auditor's opinion it was impossible to submit the vouchers to the inspection of every person wanting to see them, and keep them in any kind of order. He said no one in the case had told him the examination was to discover negligence if any in the expenditure of public moneys. No offer was made to reimburse him for any time he might expend during such examination. Cross-examination brought out that he had never presented a bill to Mr. Clement for any such labor in the latter's behalf. Deputy Auditor Miles stated that he did not agree to call up Moulton, and let him know when he could see the vouchers. On September 2 Moulton spoke of the vouchers, but mentioned no specific ones. There had been quite a few who have asked to see the vouchers, but he had always refused them, as Graham did not consider them public records, and had ordered him to allow no one to see or inspect the vouchers.

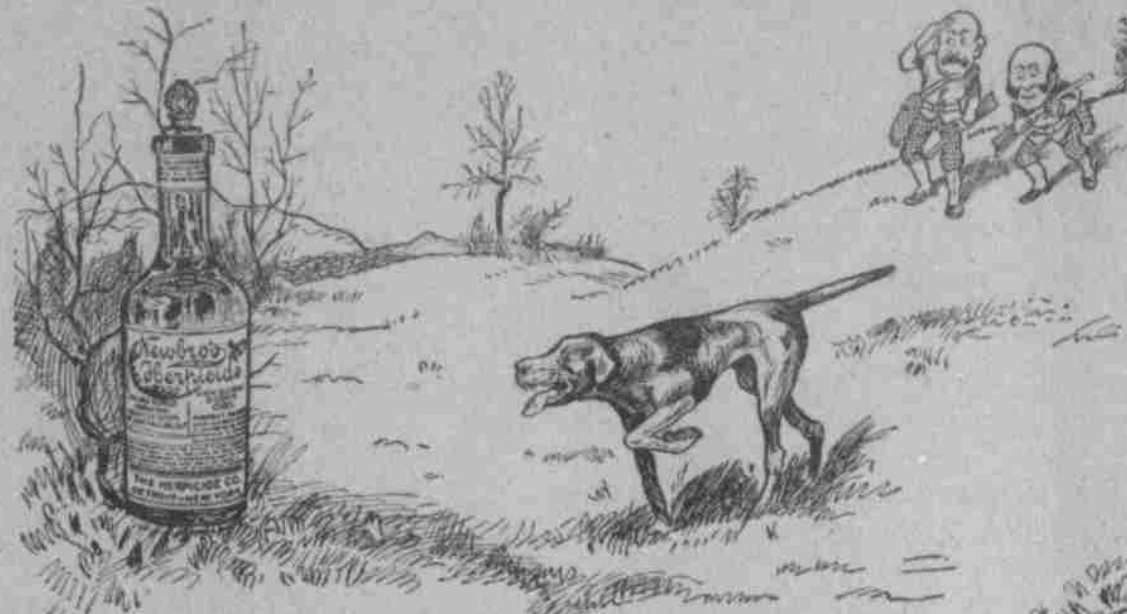
TO PURIFY WATER SUPPLY.

Secretary Holton of State Board of Health Visits Milton.

Milton, Oct. 28.—Dr. H. D. Holton, of Brattleboro, secretary of the state board of health, was in town Thursday by request of citizens. Measures are to be taken as soon as possible to prevent further contamination of Milton's water supplies. Attention was also called to the lack of fire protection.

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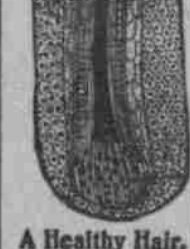
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DAY'S NEWS IN NEW YORK CITY

Bogus Emeralds Discovered by Wholesale Jewelers

ARE DOUBLETS OF QUARTZ

Change in Plans for Purchase of New York, Ontario and Western Railroad by the New York, New Haven and Hartford.

New York, Oct. 27.—Supposedly high grade emeralds which they have been importing from Paris have been discovered by several wholesale jewelers here to be merely doublets of quartz, cleverly colored. The importers declare that they have been paying many times the value of the stones.

The fact was learned in time to save the dealers from serious embarrassment, as in a few days more the imitation gems would have reached the retail trade. The duty at 20 per cent was \$4 a carat, which is said to be many times the real value of the stones.

According to experts in the trade, the stones withstood all known tests until some were accidentally placed near a fire. Then the color quickly vanished and the stones separated.

Opposition to the purchase of the New York, Ontario and Western railroad by the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad has developed on the part of several trunk lines, according to the Herald, and the pending deal has not been consummated. The matter was discussed from all points of view at a meeting of the New Haven directors which was in session three hours—an unusual length of time.

Several other trunk lines are represented in the board, and it is asserted by the Herald that if the New Haven is finally persuaded to take the Ontario it will be on such terms that the traffic arrangements of the trunk lines will not be seriously disturbed.

A decision has been handed down by Supreme Court Justice Garretson against Max Ferie, president, and local union No. 311 of the Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butchers Workmen of North America, ordering the reinstatement of George Cramer.

It was alleged that Cramer had uttered a slander against the president of the union, and for this he was fined \$50 by the union a year ago. Cramer was also to make an apology before the union. He refused to do so and was expelled. Having been unable to obtain work he sued for reinstatement.

The justice in ruling for the plaintiff, found that although the union's by-laws provide expulsion after regular trial on

signed charges, the latter had not been duly signed, so that Cramer had not been legally expelled by the union.

Bellamy Storer, American ambassador to Austria Hungary, who has been in the United States for several weeks, has started on his return to his post. Mr. Storer was a passenger on the steamer Deutschland, which sailed recently for Hamburg.

Ex-Gov. Nash Dead.

Columbus, Ohio, Oct. 27.—Ex-Gov. Nash was discovered dead in his bath room today.

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QUITE HEAVY LOSS IN BRANDON FIRE

Farm Buildings on Basin Farm Destroyed, With Great Amount of Stock and Crops. Loss Is \$12,000.

Rutland, Oct. 28.—The farm buildings at the Basin Farm, in Brandon, owned by N. B. Powers, Lansingburg, N. Y., were burned to the ground this morning. The fire was discovered at midnight. A valuable stallion, 45 Angora sheep, 41 blooded cattle, 35 hogs, 40 tons of hay, 250 tons of ensilage, 20 tons of salt and valuable implements were lost. The total loss is \$12,000, with no insurance. It is believed the fire was set by hunters sleeping in the barn.



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